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Applicant(s):	Walker)	Art Unit:	3763
For:	Method for a Separate Venous Line Catheter Having a Temperature Control System)	Examiner:	Desanto
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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR NOTICE OF APPEAL;
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Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

The enclosed Notice of Appeal and Appeal Brief were filed by facsimile on November 9, 2004. Enclosed herewith are three copies of the Appeal Brief, along with an acknowledgment postcard.

Respectfully submitted,


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